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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Request of the Office of Regulatory Staff for Rate Relief to South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's Rates Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-27-920 **Docket Nos. 2017-207-E; 2017-305-E and 2017-370-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Please find enclosed for filing on behalf of the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS"), the Rebuttal Testimony of the following witnesses:

- 1. M. Anthony James, P.E.
- 2. Gary C. Jones, P.E.
- 3. Kelvin L. Major
- 4. Daniel F. Sullivan
- 5. Richard Baudino
- 6. Lane Kollen
- 7. Norman K. Richardson, Jr.
- 8. Michael L. Seaman-Huynh
- 9. Kenneth Browne (via deposition)
- 10. Carlette Walker (via deposition)
- 11. Ty Troutman (via deposition)
- 12. Iris Griffin (via federal trial testimony) 1

¹ Ms. Griffin's pre-filed testimony is an excerpt of testimony that she gave on July 30, 2018, in the United States District Court for the District of South Carolina Columbia Division in Docket No. 3:18-cv-01795. ORS originally filed Ms. Griffin's Cross Examination testimony on August 14, 2018, but seeks to clarify that it is being offered as pre-filed testimony in the aforementioned dockets.

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South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (the "Company") has designated portions of the deposition transcripts of Mr. Browne, Ms. Walker, and Mr. Troutman as confidential. As a result, ORS is hand delivering the confidential deposition transcripts under seal to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") and electronically filing and serving redacted depositions of Kenneth Browne and Carlette Walker to all parties. Due to the fact that Mr. Troutman's deposition was conducted on October 19, 2018, ORS does not yet have the final deposition transcript of Mr. Troutman's deposition. However, ORS will file Mr. Troutman's redacted deposition transcript with the Commission once the Company provides it.

Finally, please find attached for resubmission the cross-examination testimony of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company's Chief Financial Officer, Iris Griffin, which ORS is pre-filing to be used as testimony in these proceedings.

Sincerely,

Andrew M. Bateman

cc: All Parties of Record in Docket No: 2017-207-E (via E-mail) All Parties of Record in Docket No: 2017-305-E (via E-mail)

All Parties of Record in Docket No: 2017-370-E (via E-mail)

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